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Chase & Sanbon's

Coffees of Boston.

Your money back if they don't suit.

DENT'S CASH

"I never knew," said a young man in our hearing, the other day, "that it is just as easy to form the saving habit as the spending habit. I save money now that I used to throw away. It is all due to one of your little Metal Savings Banks. I have something to show for my work; it is the best move I ever made."

Call and get a bank. \$1 will open an account.

If you can't call, send in your deposits by mail; we will send you the metal bank prepaid.

BAXTER STATE BANK Baxter Springs, Kas. Interest paid on Savings Accounts.

DR. T. O. KLINGNER,

DR. FINIS LOGAN ANDERSON of Joplin, will be in Baxter accompanied home by her aunt, Springs, Tuesday, May 14, prepared to examine and treat the Ill., who will visit here for a eye, ear, nose and throat, and fit short time. glasses. Headquarters with Dr. A. J. Thompson.

Up-To-Date Barber Shop, Armstrong's Qid Stand

D. O. Roberts, Propr. At Shop Early and Late

Good Barbers-Best treatmen t door NORTH of Baxter How

St. Mark's Episcopal Church Wednesday 10:30 a. m., holy

BAX State Historical Society

communion. Wednesday, 2:30 p. m., meetng of St. Mark's Guild.

Thursday, Ascension Day, p. m., evensong and address. Friday, 7:30 p. m., choir re-

Saturday, 2:30 p. m., Junior Girls' Guild.

Sunday, 10 a. m., Sunday school; 8 p. m., evensong and

All are welcome and invited to

attend. The vested choir will sing on Ala., this week. Wednesday and Sunday.

R. K. POOLEY,

Rector. Fine shoes at Pierce's.

Cane seed at Gregory's.

For Sale-Steam hoister, good shape. Inquire of John Merritt.

A 2 1-4 inch one-horse farm wagon, good as new, for \$25 at Gregory's.

Don't fail to call on Jim Harmon, grocer, in the Hornor building, next to Kane's drug store.

J. C. Haskett returned Tues day morning from Oklahoma City, where he attended the funeral of Mrs. Overholser.

Jim Harmon has a very neat little grocery store, and invites you to call in and see his stock and get his prices.

The electric line will come inwhere it will cross Spring branch has not yet been decided on.

Mrs. Elizabeth Horton will leave in a few days for Texas to visit her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Gavin. She will be accompanied by her son, W. H. Horton.

T. J. Morrow, F. A. Brown, T J. Foley and Chas. L. Smith were down in the Indian Territory looking after some business mat ters the fore part of the week.

Mrs. A. E. Sheldon of West than they used to have. Springfield, Mass., is visiting relatives and friends in this city. Mrs. Sheldon is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Bischofsberger.

Mrs. Norton, Mrs. Bliss, Mrs Bailey, Mrs. Mort Jones and Mrs. Arch Jones of Columbus attended the funeral of Mrs. Overholser in this city on Wednesday night of last week.

L. O. Gray returned Sunday says the weather was cold and west. bad, but he had a fine time.

Hardella, the man from Joplin who is willing to dye for you, has something to say in this issue of the NEWS. Hunt it up and read it. If you have any work for him, just leave word at this office, so the Eastman Land and Invest- free site for his mill. he will know where to call for it.

household goods and shipped tram was recked so badly that them to Eubanks, I. T., where he the superintendent estimates the King Lumber Company, which is in the lumber manufacturing business there.

Mrs. J. C. Haskett returned Wednesday night from Oklahoma City where she attended the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Mary Overholser. Mrs. Haskett was Mrs. Guy S. Wilson, of Palestine,

There is a lot of property adjoining the city which is enjoying the benefits of the city improvements and city government, yet the property we refer to is not within the corporate limits of the city. It should be taken in at once and made to pay the city

Pictures framed by Claude Jones

Mrs. Chas. L. Smith visited in Joplin Friday.

Cushion shoes for men and slipers for ladies at Pierce's.

Mack McCammon visited rela ives in Joplin last Friday.

Mort Nichols of Columbus was in this city the first of the week.

The street sprinkler man is having an easy time of it these rainy days.

H. J. Millar made a business market affords. trip to Chicago and Birmingham,

Frank Dillaway was down from Kansas City Sunday to visit his will deliver goods to any part of wife and daughter.

Wood Fribley of Miami visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Fribley, in this city last

Married, at the Hotel Baxter on Sunday, May 5, Mr. Bert Hobs to Miss Vella Jorden, Rev. Tanner officiating.

Mrs. C. W. Craney entertained the Carnation Club last Thursday afternoon and a very enjoyable time was the result. The prize was awarded to Mrs. A. J. Thompson.

We understand the different women's clubs of the town are going to take hold of the matter of cleaning up the dirty places in this city and also the matter of the carnival at Galena. They keeping weeds cut. This work say the attractions were very t) the city from the north. Just should be aided by everybody who good. wants to make Baxter Springs a pretty place to live.

> tax list from Baxter Springs was a long one, but nowadays it is sell very cheap. Call on M. Doty. very short-shorter in fact than that from any other town in the county. People have cleared up the taxes on their property and gotten it in shape to do something with. All this speaks well for the people. It indicates that they have more faith in the town

put in a plant for the manufacture of wooden pullkys. He will increase his present plant so as to handle the business. As we understand it, there are only a few plants in the country where wooden pulleys are made. This being true, it seems to us that here would be a good place to engage in their manufacture. A evening from a months' visit with great business could be built up relatives and friends at his old right here in the big lead and home in Muncie, Ind. Mr. Gray zinc mining district of the South-

The storm last Thursday night did considerable damage down in the mining camp. The wind was quite strong and blowed down a damage done was at the mines of here. We will guarantee him ment Company, where a long tramway was blown down and re-Percy King has packed his duced to kindling wood. The will reside for the next three loss at about four thousand dolyears. He is interested in the lars. Other mines suffered considerable damage. The storm was quite severe in other parts of the country.

Fifty Years the Standard

NEW GROCERY.

I wish to announce to the people of Baxter Springs and vicinity that I have opened a Grocery Store in the Hornor Building, first door north of Kane's Drug Store, where I expect to keep everything first class and up to date. I am starting in business with a brand new stock. Everything new and fresh. I expect to keep everything in the vegetable and fruit line that the

I will be glad to have all my old friends, and as many new ones as possible, call, and see me. the city.

I will be open and ready for business SATURDAY, MAY 11. Yours,

JIM HARMON.

My Goods will Comply with all Pure Food Laws.

CLAUDE JONES, Photographer. The recent rains put Spring river on quite a tear. It raised about seven feet.

Morris Doty is making some improvements on the property he purchased from W. A. Douthit.

Several Baxterites braved the weather last week and took in

Wanted-To trade real estate in Baxter Springs for carpenter A few years ago the delinquent and mason work. I also have some real estate, which I will

Earl Dent is looking after some drilling on some mineral land at Duneweg, in which he is interested. He tells us the drillers are making some very good drill

the first of this week.

""The Old Swimming Hole" is not being patronized as early in the season as formerly, and if the weather does not settle down to business pretty sood we are afraid the habit will be lost by the boys.

Not less than twenty-five new houses are going up in this city at the present time. But you would not think it, would you? Well, go around the edges of the town and you will be surprised.

One thing badly needed in this city is a flouring mill. Why can't some fellow who has a thorough knowledge of the milling busigreat deal of stuff. The biggest ness be induced to build a mill

The Gregory Trading Company has just received a big invoice of mattresses and other bedroom comforts. The prices are less than you have been in the habit fire, and although heroic efforts of paying, and you can not only make money, but save some by were in vain. Some little boys giving the Gregory Trading and some matches made the com-Company a trial order.

Baxter has the largest telephone exchange of any city in gotten out, and only the building the country in proportion to population. And it is also one of the best managed, the service being as good or better than service in the big cities. Telephone rentals city? Other towns have such in Baxter are so cheap that no-days, and they result in a generbody can afford to do without a al cleaning up of the town. Con-'talk box."

The fire of last Thursday only emphasizes the fact that we need some fire protection. It costs we need many more.

EASTMAN KODAKS.

NUMBER 18.

We are Baxter agents for the Eastman line of Kodaks, Cameras and Photographic supplies, comprising all the leading makes in this country, including the Premo (Film Pack and Plate), Blair, Century, Folmer and Schwing, Rochester Optical Co's goods and others.

This is the season for picture taking, and everybody should own a kodak. We are carrying a complete line and can furnish you anything for taking and finishing pictures on short notice. We will sell you a kodak as low as \$1 down and 25c a week, so you can thus own one and scarcely miss the money. Come in and get our new 1907 catalogue and look through the line, whether you contemplate purchasing or not Don't forget that this is the place to buy fine candies, cigars, tobaccos, fruits, souvenir post cards, cakes and crackers, ice cream sodas, Edison phonographs, Victor talking machines, pianos, organs and player pianos.

Very respectfully,

J. W. Grantham.

THE TO **Business Community**

> We extend the accommodations of a strong and well equipped bank

THE BAXTER NATIONAL

Baxter Springs,

Kansas

T. G. CANADAY,

Mr. and Mrs. Will Anderson and son, Richard, of Fort Scott Staple and Fancy Groceries, U. T. Gaba of the Baxter PlanWrs. T. C. Weaver, in this city

Flour, Feed, Vegetables and ing mill, tells us he is going to the latter part of last week and Fruit. Buy Country Produce

Next door south of Baxter State Bank.

THE BAXTER STATE BANK

Springs,

Kansas.

Baxter

THAT ESSENTIAL QUALITY.

While this bank adopts every desirable method of modern banking, it never loses sight of that essential

ABSOLUTE SAFETY.

We solicit your deposits and loans.

Last Thursday's Fire.

Last Thursday afternoon Mrs. Gregg's barn was discovered on were made to save it, the efforts bination which resulted in the destruction of the barn. The horse, harness and buggies were and some feed was lost.

Why wouldn't it be a good idea to have a clean up day in this certed action in such matters accomplish a great deal. No town is too clean to clean up a little

more.

HARDELLA WILL DYE FOR YOU.

Ladies' and Gent's Clothing Cleaned, Dyed and Pressed. Lace Curtains cleaned and Dyed. Portiers Dyed. Hats cleaned and blocked. Our solicitor calls every Friday. Leave orders at the News office, and he will call on you. Phone 858. 213 w. 5th. Joplin, Mo

more to advertise Joplin than anything else she has.

There will be services at St. Mark's Episcopal church next Sunday evening, as usual. St Mark's churdh is becoming a very more to build these days than The new hotel at Joplin will be popular place of worship, and the ever before, and it seems to us ready for the American Mining sermons delivered by Rector the city should have some fire by- Congress which will be held at Pooley are both instructive and drants, so as to save what prop- Joplin in October. The new ho- entertaining. The music by the erty we have. We haven't a sin- tel will be the finest in the state vested choir, is fine, and as the gle building to spare. In fact, of Missouri, outside of St. Louis choir has regular rehearsals it and Kansas City, and will do will reach the acme of perfection.